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Dear Sir:

Following the Office Action mailed on September 21, 2005 for the above-referenced patent application, Assignee submits this Amendment and Response to Office Action for the above-referenced patent application.

In view of this Response to the Office Action, Assignee respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw the rejections and grant allowance of this Application.

The amendment to the Claims begins on page 2.

The remarks responding to the office action begin on page 22.